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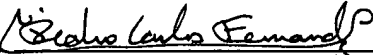
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PETITION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME

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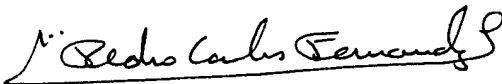
Sir:

Applicant, through his undersigned attorney, hereby Petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated May 21, 1999 for two months, **from June 21, 1999 to August 21, 1999.**

Submitted herewith is a check for \$550.00 to cover the cost of the extension, the payment of the surcharge, and the assignment recordation fee. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

Respectfully submitted,

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